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YANKS WORRIED AT HUNS OUT OF JOBS

CORLENS, Dec. 29. (By the Associated Press.)—The steadily increasing number of unemployed men in Coblenz and other towns in the occupied area is causing American officers anxiety. Many of the idle men are discharged German soldiers. An official count made by the burgomaster shows 200 laborers idle and 350 skilled workers also without employment. Those who can not obtain work are entitled to a day bounty of 5 marks, no pension from the city. Unemployed laborers have been ordered work by the city at 4 marks a day, but only a few have accepted, as the ordinary wage is 6 marks a day. Efforts are being made to restore discharged soldiers to their former occupations, replacing, if necessary, women now holding the positions. Reports from the country indicate there is plenty of work there, but officials have found difficulty in inducing laborers to leave cities, particularly in a time of social unrest like the present. More than 200,000 yards of gray German uniform cloth has come into the hands of the Americans, and they are considering how to use it. In a warehouse in Coblenz-Lutzel, across the

YOUNG HUN WHO ROOSEVELT MAY CHASE HERE

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION, Dec. 29. (By the Associated Press.)—Christian Donhauser, a youthful German aviator, who claims to have defeated Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt, son of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, in the fighting in the air in the region of the Rhine, which resulted in the death of young Roosevelt, had told the correspondent that the day following the crash his commander informed him the American he downed was Roosevelt. Immediately afterward German aviators began arranging details for the funeral of Lieut. Roosevelt. Donhauser told the correspondent of the battle which ended fatally for the son of the former president of the United States. He said: "I was one of a party of six German aviators, and on July 14 sighted six American machines east of Paderborn-Talheim. One American, who I learned later was Quentin Roosevelt, was ahead of the rest of his squadron and off to one side. He came straight at me and I swooped down under his machine. We swarmed back and forth, peeping away and each trying to gain the advantage by climbing above the other.

LIEUT.-COL. BROOKE MUST FACE TRIAL

ANNISTON, Ala., Dec. 29.—Lieut.-Col. William Brooke, son of the famous Union general of that name, and former commanding officer of the 157th depot brigade at Camp McClellan, has been ordered back to the local courts to face a court-martial trial on charges preferred by Col. John S. Hammond, camp commander, that he had committed a crime. The charges allege that Lieut.-Col. Brooke committed an irregularity when he sent a draft through the mail after payment on it had been stopped. It is also alleged that he made derogatory remarks about Col. Hammond.

FIND BODY OF SOLDIER ACROSS RIO GRANDE

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 29.—The body of Private David T. Smith, Nineteenth infantry, was found last night a quarter of a mile on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande opposite the El Paso border. The head and face were badly bruised, as though the man had been beaten with a club. The soldier had been missing since Friday.

NURSE TYPHUS VICTIM

VIADIVOSTOK, Dec. 29. (By the Associated Press.)—Grace McBride, a nurse from Shanghai, whose home was Manhattan, China, has died of typhus at Viadivostok. There have been two cases of typhus in Viadivostok. One case was found in a crowded railway station and the other in the Red Cross refugee barracks.

CLEMENCEAU SAYS HE WILL SUPPORT BRITAIN'S IDEAS

(Continued From First Page) But he is not his, opened his mind and has inspired respect through simple speech and the boldness of his convictions. "President Wilson said to me: 'I will try to convince you, but perhaps you will convince me.' The stern broke when Stephen Pinchon, and violent interruptions by the socialists, and counter-demonstrations by the government supporters, outlined France's peace terms. The minister declared that France is absolutely in agreement that full publicity be given proceedings of the peace conference. He announced that intervention in Russia was inevitable, but that it would be of a defensive character so far as French troops were concerned, and that if offensive operations were undertaken it must be by Russian troops. It has been evident for the past week that the opponents of Premier Clemenceau were determined to force in every possible way the voting of the budget of 16,000,000,000 francs for the first half of 1919, unless the government stated its peace terms either through Premier Clemenceau or that the government would do so before Monday.

Attacks Pichon.

M. Franklin-Bouillon, of the committee of foreign affairs, brought matters to a head, however, by a violent attack on M. Pinchon and the government's foreign policy. Since Tuesday the government bench has sat in obdurate silence, refusing to reply to queries; but when M. Pinchon acceded the tribune he was ready to answer. "First—That the government was in accord that the utmost publicity should be given to the peace conference, thus replying to the interpretation of the socialist deputy, Marcel Cachin, of last Friday, when he asked Premier Clemenceau to state whether secret diplomacy would be abandoned in the peace conference and the discussion given all publicity. "Second—That the French government has adopted the principle of a league of nations and is now busy working toward its effective realization, thus replying to the interpretation of the socialist M. Bracke. "Third—That the government does not desire any annexation, but reserves the right to fix the Alsace-Lorraine frontiers to guard against future attack, thus replying to M. Franklin-Bouillon. "Fourth—That the government does not think that the question of diplomatic representation of the Allies arises at the present moment. "That intervention in Russia is inevitable. Upon Russian intervention, M. Pinchon explained, reading from instructions issued by M. Clemenceau to the general commanding, that such intervention was not effective for the time being, but that the French government was prepared at the present time to make public the names of its delegates to the peace conference. The chamber must give the government its confidence, he said.

GERMANS IN AFRICA ASK FOR STATE REPUBLIC

LONDON, Dec. 29.—It is understood that German residents of Southwest Africa have sent a petition for transmission to President Wilson through the United States government, asking for permission to establish a republic in the region, according to Cape Town dispatches. The petitioners are reported to claim that they not only constitute a majority of the white inhabitants, but also the majority of the natives. The Times described the petition as a "preposterous misrepresentation of the Wilsonian doctrine of self-determination," while the claim that the natives are in the majority was said by the newspaper to be "one of the hardest examples of Teutonic sinistery."

SEVENTY-EIGHT SEEKING POSITIONS IN MEMPHIS

Seventy-eight applications for positions are on file with the local labor bureau, filed by returned soldiers. They include: 13 salaried; 11 stationary; 1 clerk; 8 draughts; 1 stenographer and bookkeeper; 6 stenographers; 1 bill clerk; 1 bookkeeper; 1 millwright; 1 lumber inspector; 1 bookkeeper; 6 transporter; 1 dry goods clerk; 1 radio and telephone operator; 1 bridge carpenter; 1 freight car inspector; 1 clerk; 6 boiler-maker's helper; 2 chauffeurs; 5 mechanic; 2 cabinet maker; 1 timekeeper; 1 farm laborer; 1 farm laborer; 1 telephone equipment man; 1 office manager; 1 auditor; 1 electrician; 1 farm manager; 1 engineer; 1 plumber; 1 auto accessories; 1 flooring worker; 1 farmer.

SECOND TEXAS PLANE REACHES INDIANAPOLIS


INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 29.—An army airplane piloted by Lieut. J. U. Weeger and Lieut. Lawson Henry arrived here yesterday. It is the second of three army flying machines that have been sent to Detroit, making a study of general flying conditions. The first plane, piloted by Lieut. R. M. Jones and Lieut. E. H. Hill, arrived here Friday. The two machines will leave for Dayton today if weather conditions permit.

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We'll Be Closed Wednesday, New Year's



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SUCCESS OF BIG NAVAL GUN SHOWN

Crews of Big Monsters Tell About Destruction Caused.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The story of the success of the America's land battery of 14-inch naval guns, as told by members of the gun crews themselves, was given to the public here when copies of the "Big T," a newspaper printed on board the battleship Utah, were circulated on shore. It was the Utah's picked gun crew, the newspaper said, that was sent ashore to "get" the German super-gun which was shelling Paris. The gun was removed, it was said, before the batteries could get into action, but the navy men had the satisfaction of smashing away at the German line for several months before the armistice was signed. The shells fired by the naval guns, according to the "Big T," were powerful that on one occasion an exploding shell hurled two loaded freight cars from the track to the top of a railway station. Another shell landed in a hut where 100 Germans were watching a motion picture show, and when American troops later reached the spot, 40 identification tags were all that could be found to tell the fate of the party. The naval guns habitually fired at range of from 20 to 21 miles, the article said, and more than 500 rounds had been fired, when armistice was signed. It would have been necessary to have removed the guns for re-loading within a short time had not the armistice put an end to their work. "The entire battery of five guns, our projectiles have since been visited," the article said. "One was 20 feet in diameter and 12 feet deep, another 30 feet in diameter and 12 feet deep, and so on, depending on the character of the ground. The entire battery of 500 men, only three were lost, two succumbed to disease and the other died of wounds from fragments of a German shell."

FLESH GOING TO BE CHIEF AIDE OF HOOVER

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 29.—Edward M. Fleisch, St. Louis agent of the United States food commission, and second vice-president of the United States Food and Grain corporation, will leave St. Louis for London Wednesday to assume duties of the district director of food supplies in Europe, at the request of Herbert Hoover, United States food administrator. Mr. Fleisch received a cablegram from Mr. Hoover Saturday night and immediately cabled his acceptance of the position. Until the cable came he had no intimation of the coming appointment. He expects to sail from New York next Saturday. Mrs. Fleisch will accompany him.

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Open Tuesday evening until 10 p. m. Closed all New Year's Day. No your shopping early.

WILSONS TO BE GIVEN ROYAL FAREWELL DINNER

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The arrangements for a private dinner for President and Mrs. Wilson and King George and Queen Mary Monday night at the president's return from Manchester, have been changed. Instead the function will be a farcical dinner in honor of the president and Mrs. Wilson. It will be given in the state dining room in Buckingham palace, and about 70 guests will attend.

STRICKING MINERS IN BATTLE WITH TROOPS

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 29.—Striking miners in the Dusseldorf district have fought a pitched battle with the soldiers protecting the mines, according to advices received here. The encounter resulted in several persons being killed and wounded before the troops finally surrounded and arrested the miners.

Read News Scimitar Wants.

BARK BURNS AT SEA; ONE BOAT MISSING

CHRIST CHURCH, New Zealand, Dec. 29.—The bark Aryan was destroyed by fire 300 miles east of Chatham island last Wednesday. The captain and 15 men have landed safely, but one boat is missing.

The Aryan sailed from Wellington, N. Z., Dec. 18 for San Francisco. She was a craft of 1,969 tons.

GOURAUD HONORED.

PARIS, Dec. 29. (Havas.)—Gen. Gouraud, who commanded the French armies in the Champagne sector in the final days of the war, has been awarded the grand cross of the Legion of honor.

76 KILLED IN BATTLE UPON BERLIN STREETS

PARIS, Dec. 29. (Havas.)—The German propaganda bureau asserts that in the fighting in Berlin Christmas eve 76 persons were killed. The attacking troops lost 26 men killed, while six sailors and five policemen were fighting with the sailors lost their lives.

The bureau also announces that the damage to the imperial castle during the fighting was great. More than 100 shells were fired on the castle.

THREE TRANSPORTS BRING IN HEROES

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The United States transport Sherman, Carthage and Sixaola arrived here from France yesterday, bringing 250 officers and men of the army and navy and a quantity of equipment and explosives.

Among officers arriving on the Carthage were three brigadier-generals—W. J. Nicholson, a brigade commander of the 7th division, and Daniel B. Dwyer, and John A. Johnson, of the 8th division.

Capt. T. S. Whiting, of Hampton, Va., bore the scars of 18 wounds received at Chateau Thierry with the Sixth regiment of marines. Lieut. W. L. Baker, of Baltimore, wore the Croix de Guerre for his services with the 90th aero squadron. He had a total of four German balloons and one plane to his credit.

Among the men arriving on the Carthage were 80 aviators who served in Italy.

Officers on the Sixaola included Lieut.-Col. E. M. Shinkle, of Chevy Chase, Md.; John B. McCard, of Pittsburgh, and M. G. Baker, of Peabody, Kas. Maj. Stewart Edward White, of San Francisco; R. M. Dugh, of Wayne, Pa., and J. H. Payton, of Charlottesville, Va.

Capt. Thomas A. Watson, of Fond du Lac, Wis., another aviator, bore the scars of 18 wounds received with the 12th infantry in the fighting at the close of the day 68 dead Germans were counted on the ground taken by the regiment.

Lieut. Valentine A. Browning, a son of the inventor of the Browning machine gun, also arrived on the Sixaola. He has been demonstrating his father's invention before the allied officers.

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Up to \$7.50 Coats, Choice, \$2.98 and \$3.98

Children's Winter Coats in various pretty styles and colorings, sizes 2 to 6 years; the style leaders of the season, that sold up to \$7.50, in two groups at your choice \$2.98 and \$3.98 each.

Up to \$12.50 Coats, in one lot, at \$6.98

A wonderful lot of coats for little folks of 2 to 6 years; distinctive styles, of plush, corduroy and cloth; coats that sold regularly up to \$12.50, in one group Tuesday, at your choice, \$6.98 each.

\$13.50 to \$23.50 Coats at \$9.50 and \$11.50

Choice of our finest coats that sold from \$13.50 to \$23.50—Nothing near so attractive to be found elsewhere; rich silk plushes and finest broadcloths. Tuesday at \$9.50 and \$11.50 each.

Up to \$2.25 Hats and Bonnets for 98c

At this sensational low price we offer choice of every child's Hat and Bonnet in this department, of Velvet, Plush and Corduroy, an endless variety of styles that sold up to \$2.25, Tuesday at 98c each.

\$4.00 to \$6.50 Hats and Bonnets, \$2.98

Cunningly made Hats and Bonnets for infants and little toddlers; extremely smart and becoming styles of beautiful quality materials; values from \$4.00 to \$6.50, on sale at \$2.98 each.

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